

WIT AND HUMOR.

The dentist's sure crop, sore gum.
 Every bear should be taught to dance,
 for what is the use of bruin without hops?
 Why is a cat on top of a house, like an orange? Because she looks round.
 How to get a comfortable house, take one—when you can get it.
 Brooklyn is about to sell all her old clothes to buy a big organ.
 When a man is saddled with a bad wife there is sure to be stir-ups in the family.
 Some men's minds are so badly tumbled that they can't be made up.
 Greeley's criticism of Bancroft—"Able but questionable."
 If three feet make a yard, how many will it take to make a garden?
 What is the worst kind of fair for a man to live on? Warfare.
 The Washington Chronicle makes a pun on Sumner's having "an eager audience" (a nigger audience.)
 Where is paper money first mentioned in the Bible? When the dove brought the green back to Noah.
 Why is a normal school like Mount Washington? Because its a prime-airy institute.
 Why is a convalescent dyspeptic like a reprieved criminal? Because he can't die just yet.
 Why is electricity like the police when they are wanted? Because it is an invisible force.
 "Caught in her own net," as a man said when he saw one of the fair sex hitched in her crinoline.
 Why is a husband like a Mississippi steamboat? Because he never knows when he may get a blowing up.
 The character of an upright man is like a pair of boots. The more you black it the more it shines.
 Why is it easy to break into an old man's house? Because his gait is broken, and his locks are few.
 It is said that a sober man when drunk feels the same as a drunken man when sober.
 Prentice says of an editor "who smelt a rat," that if he did, and the rat smelt him, the poor rat had the worst of it.
 A melancholy sight is that of a shoe maker who has lost his *all* and breathed his *last*.
 Mrs. Partington's Ike has bought a horse that is so spirituous, that he always goes off in a decauter.
 "How long did Adam remain in Paradise before he sinned?" said an amiable spouse to her husband. "Till he got a wife," was the calm reply.
 It is something terrible when manhood weeps: its tears are like water wrung from the rock. The granite must be riven ere they flow.
 Hours of joy go dancing by with down upon their feet; but those of sorrow drag as heavily as though they had tar on their heels.
 A Paris savaan declares that ladies should be no longer afraid of lightning, as in comparison with men they only suffer at the rate of 28 to 100.
 "Mamma," said Harry, a bright little fellow of three, who had bitten a large cavity in a dough nut, instead of getting a good mouthful as he anticipated, "please give me another doughnut, this aint a good one, it's all wearied out."
 Some of our Western friends have a talent for the figurative. One of our Tennessee exchanges describes another, as "holding its left hand under the swallow tail of its constitutional dignity, and extending the nose wiper of interrogative pathos in its right."
 Teach your son to work—to work with his hands—to combine muscular power with brain power, and he will seldom turn thief, vagabond or ragaunt. The great misfortune with a majority of our young men is, that they have been taught no regular trade or employment. They now feel sadly the want of this useful training. Impress a boy with the value of time, teach him some honorable calling, however humble, and if he has the man in him it will develop itself in time. He will teach himself, from observation and association with the best class of persons, who always recognize and appreciate true merit—to be, and not merely appear to be a gentleman.
 The silly notion, so prevalent heretofore in this country, that physical labor is inconsistent with good breeding, must give way to a more practicable, a more sensible, and more healthy sentiment. We will then have fewer forgeries, fewer gamblers, fewer drunkards, and consequently a less demand for space in our State prisons. We will have more work shops, more factories, more schools, more and better filled churches, and a more thrifty, self reliant, intelligent, hardy and enterprising population.
 TRUTH FITLY SPOKEN.—"If," said Governor Raymond of New York, in his recent speech in the Federal House of Representatives, "we cannot treat our Southern people as members of this Union, without degrading terms or doing aught to humiliate and destroy their pride and self-respect, then we may make up our minds that we are not equal to the crisis on which we are fallen. We shall fail in restoring peace, harmony and prosperity to the Union, but the nation will not perish. Others will take our places who better appreciate the nature of the work that devolves upon us, and who will accomplish the end we fail to reach, or even to comprehend."

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LAW NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS RESUMED the Practice of Law. Office up stairs, immediately over former office.
 Feb 15—3—3a JAS. FARROW.

DRS. B. & J. L. WOFFORD

OFFER THEIR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES to the citizens of the Village and surrounding country. One or both of us will be found constantly in the office at the STORE, during the day, and at our Residence, opposite Wofford College (Church Street) at night.
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The Commissioners of Roads

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 JOHN M. CROOK, Chrm.
 DAVID ANDERSON, Sec. Feb 8 2td

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

SPARTANBURG DISTRICT.

T. M. Petty, and wife Amanda, Applicants,
 vs
 Nancy Patton and others, Defendants.
 Petition for sale of real estate of Margaret Hindman, deceased

IT appearing to my satisfaction that the legal heirs and representatives of JANE HINDMAN, deceased, names not known, NANCY PATTON, legal heirs and representatives of FRANCIS TAPP, deceased, names not known, THOMAS LUCAS, and MARY ANN PETTIT and her husband, Pettit, defendants in this case, reside without this State; it is therefore ordered that they do appear and object to the division or sale of the real estate of MARGARET HINDMAN, deceased, on or before the 20th day of April next, or their consent to the same will be entered of record.
 Given under my hand this 27th day of January, A. D., 1866.
 JNO. EARLE BOMAR, O. S. D.
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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

SPARTANBURG DISTRICT.

In the Court of Ordinary.
 Maria E. Gennings and Culpurnia Gennings, Applicants,
 vs
 J. C. Gennings, Wm. H. Gennings, et al Defendants,
 Petition for sale of real estate of William Gennings, deceased.

IT appearing to my satisfaction that the legal heirs and representatives of SIMPSON GENNINGS, deceased, names not known, and JOHN CALVIN GENNINGS, defendants in this case, reside without this State; it is therefore ordered that they do appear and object to the division or sale of the real estate of WILLIAM GENNINGS, deceased, on or before the 20th day of April next, or their consent to the same will be entered of record.
 Given under my hand this 27th day of January, A. D., 1866.
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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

SPARTANBURG DISTRICT.

S. N. Evans, Administrator, Applicant,
 Mary Dold and others, Defendants.
 Petition for proceeds of sale of real estate to be paid over to the Administrator to pay debts, settlement of estate, &c.

IT appearing to my satisfaction that MAIDEN GREEN, and the legal heirs and representatives of FLOYD TANNER, deceased, names not remembered, Defendants in this case, reside beyond the limits of this State; it is therefore ordered that they appear at the Court of Ordinary to be holden at Spartanburg Court House for Spartanburg District, on the 27th day of April next, to shew cause if any exists, why the proceeds of the sale of the real estate of W. T. TANNER, deceased, should not be paid over to S. N. Evans, Administrator, to be applied to the payment of the debts of said deceased; and also to shew cause, if any, why a final settlement of the personal estate of said W. T. TANNER, deceased, should not be made.
 Given under my hand this 27th day of January, A. D., 1866.
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